

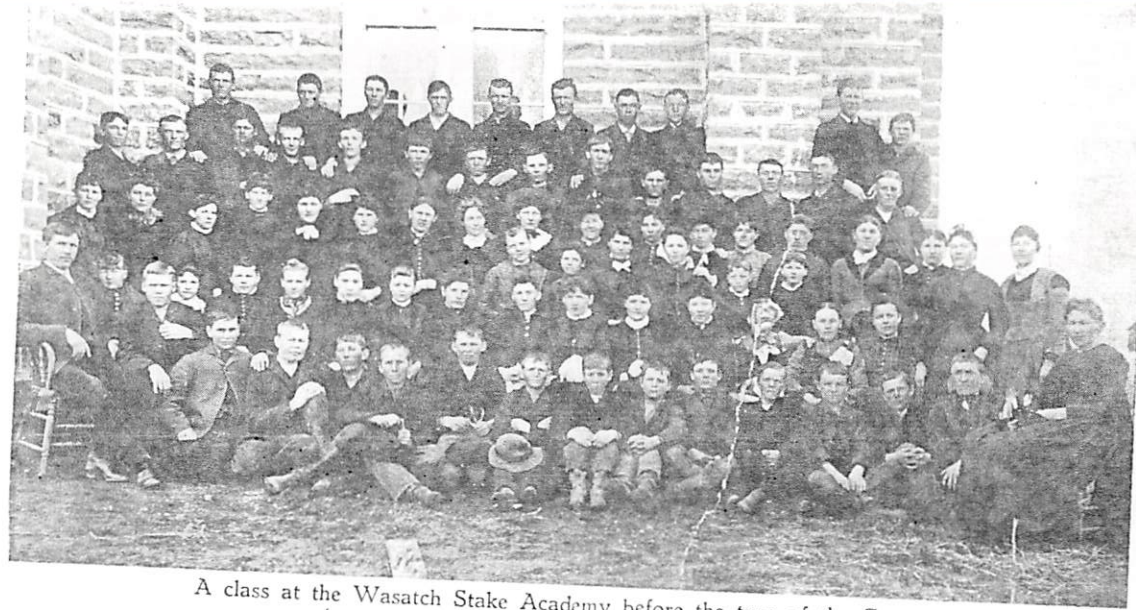
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A class at the Wasatch Stake Academy before the turn of the Century.
(see opposite page for identification of persons)

Persons on the Wasatch Stake Academy picture—opposite page—Back row, left to right, William Baird, Charles Ohlweiler, John Fortie, Robert Lindsay, William Coleman, Hugh C. Coleman, George Wootton, Alma Van Wagonen, William Cummings and Tate.

Second Row: Charles Cluff, Joseph A. Murdock, Frank Murdock, John Bond, David McDonald, Edwin Martin, Charles Rhodes, William T. Wootton, Frederick Hicken, Joseph Lindsay, Frederick Crook, Brigham Murdock, John Wootton and William H. Lindsay.

Third Row: Eva Cluff, Lodema Robertson, Sarah Wing, Mary Baum, Clary Murdock, Lucy Bagley, Orpha Alexander, Violet Ryan, Susie Ryan, Bertha Jorgenson, Matilda Smith, Agnes Turner, Mary Jeffs, Emma Lind, Rachel Emma Hicken, Sarah Giles, Sarah Gilner and Maria Christensen.

Small group between the Third and Fourth Rows: Annie Anderson, Lizzie Moulton, Matilda Allison, Minnie Cummings, Elizabeth Moulton and Nellie Moulton.

Fourth Row: Lanie Anderson, Emma Jeffs, Sarah Giles, Jean McMillan, Rhoda Hicken, May Duke, Esther Carroll, Elfreda Jaspersen, Euphenia Duke, Minnie Lindsay, Florinda Cummings, Lucretia Moulton, Margie Moulton and Jane Wing.

Front Row: Enoch Jorgensen, teacher; Roy Murdock, Hyrum Nicol, William C. Lindsay, James L. Lindsay, Joseph Peterson, George Alexander, Orson Moulton, Moroni Moulton, Brigham Young, Henry Moulton, William Moulton, Taylor Goodwin, Charles Hicken, John Nelson and Miss Nelson, assistant teacher.

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